



St Joseph's Broomhouse

Order of Saint Augustine

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St Josephs is a Parish of St Andrew's and Edinburgh Archdiocese, a registered charity in Scotland no: SCO08540

Sunday Mass 8:30am & 11am.

Daily Mass 9:30am.

Confession: After Sat. am Mass and on request

25 March 2018

Palm (Passion) Sunday (B)

Entrance Antiphon: Hosanna to the Son of David; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, the King of Israel. Hosanna in the highest.

Responsorial psalm: My God, My God, why have you forsaken me? (Ps 21).

Gospel Acclamation: Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory. Christ was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross. But God raised him high and gave him the name which is above all names. Praise to you, O Christ, king of eternal glory!

Communion Antiphon: Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it, your will done.

SUNDAY COLLECTION: £604.94

St Patrick's Night: £599.08

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FEASTS OF THE WEEK

Please note: as 25 March is a Sunday and the following week Holy Week, the Annunciation will not be celebrated this year.

NOTICES

About Being Catholic (RCIA) – Thursdays at 7.30pm in the parish house. **This will be taking a break until 26 April.**

Catholic Publications – Do pick up at the back of the church the *Scottish Catholic Observer*, Scotland's weekly Catholic paper. *Bible Alive* for April is now available, with reflections on the readings for each day of the month.

LENT: STATIONS OF THE CROSS will take place every **Friday in Lent at 7pm.**

There will be a deanery **Penitential Service at St Cuthbert's on 26 March, 7pm**

LENTEN REFLECTIONS – the Augustinian website www.theaugustinians.org has a series of daily reflections in Lent, just go to **Lent Online** on the homepage.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL – this was inaugurated on Monday last. Next meeting will take place on Thurs 26 April. The list of members is available at the back of the church.

ROSARY ON THE COAST – modelled on a similar event that has already taken place in Ireland and Poland, you are invited to join with St John's, Costorphine (with St Kentigern), to pray the Rosary on Cramond Beach on **Sunday 29 April 3pm**. If we get enough names, we can book a coach with St John's for those without cars to get there. It is to pray for a culture of life from conception to death and for peace in the world. See clipboard at the back of the church.

ECUMENICAL SERVICE – each evening in Holy Week, the local churches are hosting a special service. St Joseph's has been asked to host it on **Wed 28 Mar 7.30pm**. It will be based on the Stations of the Cross, with a sermon given by Rev Michael Mair of St David's on the theme: 'My God, my God why have you forsaken me?' St David's service is on **Mon 26 Mar 7.30pm**. Please support this.

'LOVE LENT, Today, Archbishop Leo is inviting young adults to join him at the Gillis Centre EH9 1BB at 2pm, for a talk followed by Mass and a social. Fr Ian will be there with a group from Heriot Watt.

BIG CHURCH CLEAN FOR EASTER – **Sat 31 March 10am**. Just turn up. Hot Cross buns to follow.

POLISH BLESSING – the Polish custom of blessing food on Holy Saturday will take place in St Joseph's Church at 2pm on Sat 31 March. It will be conducted by Fr Paul.

EASTER TRIDUUM TIMES:

Holy Thursday: **Mass of the Lord's Supper 7pm**

Good Friday: **Lord's Passion 3pm (Stations 7pm)**

Holy Saturday: **Easter Vigil 8.30pm (note later time)**

Easter Sunday: **11am only**

Booklets will be available for all these services, so that parishioners can participate more fully. Please return them for use next year

Our Wee Community: The boiler in the parish hall is now replaced. A big thanks to Tom Malone for helping Ken, the boiler engineer, over the two full days it took to install the new, more heat efficient, boiler.

We were saddened by the news of the death of Cardinal Keith O'Brien. His funeral will take place at St Michael's Church, Westmoreland Road, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, on Thursday 5 April at 1pm. Cardinal Vincent Nichols will be the chief celebrant. A Month's Mind Mass will take place at St Mary's Cathedral on 19 April 12.45pm. May he rest in peace. Fr Paul